TOWN OF FALMOUTH RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR BEACH STICKER ELIGIBILITY FOR TAXPAYERS, RESIDENTS AND VISITORS

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To be eligible for a Resident Beach Sticker, the applicant must be one of the

- 1. Have a vehicle registered in the Town of Falmouth
- 2. Listed as an owner of real property in the Assessor's office with property that has a tax bill
- 3. The dependent of a listed property owner with the same year-round address on a driver's license, picture ID or student ID. For purposes of beach sticker eligibility, the Town of Falmouth uses the same rules as the IRS. The dependent must be no more than 19 years old (24 years old if a full time student). If a dependent is more than 24 years old, he/she must have his/her car registered at
- 4. A trustee of real property located in Falmouth, listed in the Assessor's office, or an individual who is certified by the trustee as a lawful owner of the beneficial interest in the property on the Town of Falmouth's "Certificate of Trustee or Other Officer" form, which may be found on the Town's web site on the Beach Department link, or obtained at the Ellen T. Mitchell Bathhouse at Surf Drive. The form must be presented.
- 5. Settlors, Power of Attorney (POA), and Life Estates (LEST) are not eligible for a resident beach
- 6. Active duty military personnel or their dependents, who are assigned to Sector Woods Hole or Joint Base Cape Cod. The active duty ID/dependent card must be presented.
- 7. A lessee, with a year round lease, with his/her vehicle registered in Falmouth The lease must be
- 8. A person owning commercial property in Falmouth is eligible for a resident sticker.
- 9. A person who owns a time-share residence in the Town of Falmouth, for duration of stay only. The deed, or other evidence of ownership, must be presented.
- 10. A limited liability company (LLC) is a taxpayer, but is not entitled to a resident beach sticker. A member of the LLC as certified by the manager is eligible for a beach sticker. A manager may be a member of an LLC and may identify himself as a member with documentation.

To be eligible for a Visitor's (Non-Resident) Beach Sticker, the applicant must:

- 1. Show evidence (not/lease) that they are staying in the Town of Falmouth.
- 2. Be occupying, not owning, a vacation property for the duration of the period. The vacation property may be a hotel/motel, time-share or residence with a Falmouth address.

All applicants for any sticker must present the following documentation:

- 1. Valid vehicle registration for each vehicle with the applicant as the owner of the vehicle.
- 2. Lease listing the applicant as the lessee of a leased vehicle.
- 3. Appropriate written documentation connecting a company owned or leased vehicle to the
- 4. Vehicles with repair plates are eligible for a sticker, as long as the owner has complied with RMV rules regarding repair plates (19-26 in RMV FAQ'S Circular). A "Compliance Decal" showing payment of excise taxes to Falmouth must be displayed. An owner of a dealership, who resides in Falmouth, is eligible for a resident sticker on a vehicle with dealer plates, as long as the owner has complied with RMV rules regarding dealer plates (10-16 in RMV FAQ's Circular), The sticker is valid as long as the same car is used for the beach season and the excise tax has been paid on that vehicle. Should the dealer sell the vehicle, he/she must present the sticker from the sold car and apply for a new sticker at the Ellen T. Mitchell Building.